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# **ALLEN NAMES** COMMITTEE TO PROBE WILSON

Thoro Investigation of State Banking Department Coming.

Governor Says Action Is as a Result of Criticisms.

## WANTS PUBLIC CONFIDENCE

Recent Bank Failures Cause of Move Made Today.

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## OH, THOU SUBTLE JUSTICE!

Boy Who Supports Mother Goes to Jail-Another With Police Rec

When Paul Lewis, a Topeka youth, who testimony revealed was the sole support of his mother, took a Buick automobile from in front of the Chocolate Shop on a Sunday evening when he admitted he was under the influence of liquor and after riding around in the car a short time placed it in a garage, automobile dealers, auto burglary insurance agents and George G. Hannan, chief of police, clamored to send the boy to state prison.

rison.

Sheviff Hugh Larimer was criticised bitterly because he held out alone against these powerful elements in the control of the control city's life and insisted that Lewis should not be prosecuted under a grand larceny charge and should be given a jail sentence under a joy riding statute. Hugh Fisher, county attorney, joined in the clamor to send Lewis to state prison and Judge Rad Lee endured criticism because he re-

by Mrs Alice May Flacy, against two physicians.

She alloges that when she volunteered to have a piece of skin one inchwide and three or four inches long; removed from her body to aid her brother it, an operation, the physicians removed one square foot.

West Virginia Has Favorite Son.

Huntington, W. Va., May 26.—Sentator Howard Sutherland, favorite son, was leading Gen. Leonard Wood in the presidential primary on returns early today from 112 of the state's 1,530 precincts. These precincts gave Sutherland 3,114 votes and Wood 2,362.

Son Who Spurned Her Advice Comes Back for Comfort.

Lloyd Lester in Jail Cell While Parent Sits Outside.

## WIFE'S ATTITUDE ANGERED HIM Her Alleged Infidelity May Cos

Him His Reason.

Warned Against Her by Mother Before Marriage.

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she charged him \$2 for a shave, halrout and massage. Judge Fleming fined her \$25.

## BACK TO MOTHER On a Special Train Today 150 Loyal Kansans Went To N. Y. to Back Gov. Allen

Spirit of State Behind Executive As He Leaves For Famous Debate With Samuel Gompers on Strength of Industrial Court Law.

EYES OF NATION ON THESE MEN TODAY



carry five or six Pullmans, observation car, diner and baggage car.

The Kansans will be breakfast guests of the Kansas Day club of Chicago Thursday morning. Leaving Chicago at 8:30 in the morning, the special will run over the Wabash and New York Central lines to New York. An hour's stop will be made Thursday night at Niagara Falls. The train ar-

Two Sections of Act Declared Unconstitutional.

## CASES NOT TO BE DISMISSED

Miners and Opreators Still Face Five Charges.

eral H. C. L. Drive.

Indianapolis, May 26.—Declaring ections four and twenty-six of the

Collenz.
Orders have been issued by the French government to all French army and civil authorities to send representatives to exercises to be held at American cemeteries in France on May 30. Subscriptions totalling 325, — S55 francs have been received up to date for the purpose of decorating the graves of American soldiers in this country.

PICKING ORATORS THIS WEEK.

French government to all French army and other countries in that the foreign expenses to be held at American cemeteries in France on Black and Tan Black and Tan Belegates Will Stage Contest.

San Antonio. Texas, May 26.—Two sets of delegates to the Chicago concept of the contest of the Chicago concept of the contest for seats following a split in Texas Republican ranks here yesterday.

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# Weather

## **RAIN BRINGS RELIEF**

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES.
7 o'clock....68 | 11 o'clock....
8 o'clock...72 | 12 o'clock...
2 o'clock...76 | 1 o'clock...
19 o'clock...79 | 2 o'clock... In less than two hours, between 12:45 and 2 o'clock, a temperature

drop of 21 degrees and almost a hal drop of 21 degrees and almost a hair inch of rain occurred in Topeka.

The temperature reached 85 degrees at 12:30 o'clock and had dropped to 64 degrees at 2 o'clock. Precipitation at that hour amounted to 84 of an inch.

The thunder shower scheduled to arrive tonight, hit Topeka shortly before 1 o'clock this noon. At 12 o'clock the sun was shining brightly and the sky was summery with only a few

London. May 26.—Following a threat to burn or raze every government building in Ireland. Sinn Feindent buildings in many districts, according to dispatches here today.

Eight battallons today were being held in reserve in anticipation of the need of reinforcements for troops also and the sky was summery with only a few

Indianapolis, May 25.—Declaring sections four and twenty-six of the Lever law unconstitutional, Federal Judge A.B. Anderson today sustained a motion to quash thirteen of the eighteen counts in the indictment charging 125 coal miners and operators with violation of this law.

The court upheld the constitutionality of section nine of the law, however, and overruled a motion to quash the five counts returned under it.

Section four, held unconstitutional by Judge Anderson, prohibits the charging of unjust or excessive rates and prices. This section was added to the law last summer in an amendment framed by Attorney General Palmer.

Section 26 prohibits combinations formed to limit supplies in necessities of life. Farmers, however, and farm co-operative societies are excepted from the action of this section.

Under Judge Anderson's ruiling the cases will not be dismissed but a majority of the eighteen counts will not be pressed. Section nine specifically upheld by Judge Anderson's ruiling the cases will not be dismissed but a majority of the eighteen counts will not be "discriminatory and void."

The court's opinion was that section four and twenty-six are similar, but the court held these to be "discriminatory and void."

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Offensive by Bolsheviki at Kiev Breaks Down.

Recapture of City by Soviet Army Denied.

London, May 28.—The Bolshevik offensive appeared definitely broken down, according to latest official statements issued in Warsaw, received here today.

The situation north of the Dwina and along the Upper Berezina river was stationary, the statements declared. The report of the recapture of Kiev by the Bolsheviki was denounced as absolutely false.

Reds Pour Into Persia.

Threaten to Burn All British Government Buildings.

Reports Show Irish Reds Are Making Threats Good.

## MAY SEND MORE TROOPS

Eight Battalions Ready to Invade Little Isle.

The Railroad Strike Settled, Workers Refuse to Work.

First Rioter Sentenced

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Dublin, May 26.—What is said to be the first sentence for participation in an armed attack on police barracks was promulgated yesterday. Michael Condon, a civilian of Rathcormack, County Cork, was sentenced to five years' penal servitude for participating in an attack on the Ahern police barracks.

A serious extension of the railway trouble here occurred yesterday when the railway men refused to transport war materials which had been landed from a steamer and loaded into a train by soldiers after the dockers had declined to work.

Strike Supposed Settled.

The supplies were destined for the west of Ireland and when the soldiers tried to move the train the signal men struck and all work was stopped.

Altho the strike of Irish railroad workers was settled yesterday and an agreement reached with the railroad men's union with regard to handling munitions, the men have declined to return to work immediately.

A special meeting of the executive

A special meeting of the executive committee of the railroad workers has been called for tomorrow to prepare definite instructions regarding the handling of munitions. Arson Attacks General,

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Most of the attacks were in the south and west of Ireland, the court house at Waterville, seventy-five miles west and south of Cork, was completely destroyed by fire.

The court house at Cloyne, eighteen miles east and south of Cork, also was totally destroyed.

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In Dublin, the offices of the department of agriculture and the offices of the city corporation were burned.

Rasikon Barracks and the coast guard station near Dublin were also attacked, and althe they were strongly defended, their supporters were overpowered and the buildings burned. A party of more than a hundred armed men attacked the police barracks at Laght George, ten miles north of Galway. It is estimated that total damage will run into tens of thousands of dollars and the number of men participating in the vari-

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# **CHOPS LEVER LAW**

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